Docket No.: 050992.0201.CPUS03

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Bentwich, Itzhak Art Unit: 1635

February 16, 2004

App. No.: 10/708,204 Examiner: WOLLENBERGER, LOUIS V

Conf. No.: 2203 Title: BIOINFORMATICALLY DETECTABLE

GROUP OF NOVEL REGULATORY
OLIGONUCLEOTIDES ASSOCIATED
WITH ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE AND

USES THEREOF

AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Dear Sir:

Filing Date:

In response to the Office Action mailed September 22, 2006 (the "Office Action"), and in accordance with the Rules of Practice, please enter the following amendments and consider the remarks below. Submitted herewith is a Petition for a one-month extension of time and the requisite fee of \$120 under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a), which extends the deadline for filing a response to November 22, 2006.

No other fees are believed to be due in connection with the filing of this paper, however, should any fees be deemed necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to deduct any such fees from Deposit Account No. 50-1662 referencing the above docket number.

Amendments to the Claims begin at page 2 of this response; and **Remarks** begin at page 4.